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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

Ashley Hood,
Plaintiff,

v.
Darden Restaurants, Inc.; Darden Restaurants
Group Life and Health Plan for Salaried
Employees,
Defendants.

Case No. 4:21-cv-00415-EJM

**NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY
CASE DISMISSAL WITHOUT
PREJUDICE UNDER RULE 41**

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41 (a)(1)(A)(i), Plaintiff Ashley Hood hereby dismisses
without prejudice the above-captioned matter.

Plaintiff advises the Court that the Complaint in this matter was filed on October 12,
2021 (Doc. 1). None of the named Defendants have Answered or filed a Motion for Summary
Judgment.

1 Pending before the Court is the parties' Stipulated Motion to Stay All Deadlines
2 Until a Determination is Made in Plaintiff's LWOP Claim (Doc. 16) and Plaintiff's
3 Affidavit Showing Good Cause for Why This Case Should Not Be Dismissed Without
4 Prejudice (Doc. 17). In her Affidavit, Plaintiff provided the Court with facts that would
5 warrant granting the parties' stipulated motion. However, considering the Court's Order to
6 Show Cause (Doc. 15) and Plaintiff's concern that the Court may dismiss the case with
7 prejudice, she files this notice of voluntary dismissal without prejudice.
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9 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 3rd day of June, 2022.

10 SCOTT E. DAVIS, P.C.

11 By: /s/ Scott E. Davis, Esq.
12 Scott E. Davis, Esq.
13 Attorney for Plaintiff

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